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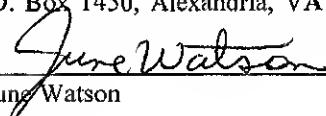
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Applicant: Van Snick, et al.
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

Response to Species Election Requirement
 Return Receipt Postcard

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO SPECIES ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the species election requirement mailed December 31, 2003, Applicant elects species A, compositions containing MAGE-A1 HLA DRB1*15 binding peptides and MAGE-A1 HLA class I binding peptides.

To the extent that HLA class I peptides are recited in the claims, Applicant believes that claims 84-87 do not read on the elected species.

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